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In re application of Hyung-Jin KIM et al.

Attorney Docket No. P23708  
**Mail Stop Amendment**

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 Filed : August 19, 2003  
 For : RECIPROCATING COMPRESSOR

Group Art Unit : Samuel Belt  
 Examiner : 3746

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
 Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment  
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 401 Dulany Street  
 Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
- A Request for Extension of Time.
- No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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Total Claims: 19	*20	0	X25=	\$	x 50=	\$0.00
Indep. Claims: 3	**3	0	X100=	\$	X200=	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+180=	\$	+360=	\$0.00
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  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, including any required extension of time fees in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission (37 CFR 1.136)(a)(3).

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 4, 2006, which set a three-month shortened statutory period to expire on July 5, 2006 (July 4, 2006 being a Federal Holiday) Applicants submit the amendments and remarks as follows for entry in the above-identified patent application and request reconsideration of the rejections and allowance of the application, in due course:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.